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Re:

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For: Aggregate-Free Urate Oxidase for Preparation of Non-Immunogenic Polymer Conjugates

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Inventors:

Sherman et al.

Our Ref:

2057.0080000/JAG/BJD

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Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

- 1. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$530.00 to cover the appropriate fees for a Terminal Disclaimer (\$110.00) and a two-month Extension of Time (\$420.00);
- 2. PTO Fee Transmittal (PTO/SB/17);
- 3. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a);
- 4. Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection Over a Prior Patent;
- 5. Supplemental Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116; and
- 6. One (1) return postcard.

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It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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Respectfully submitted,

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